

Friday 18th January 2019

FEDERATION NEWS

Ladysmith Community Action Team

Please vote for us!

When shopping at TESCO, pop your token into our pot - "Ladysmith Community Action Team" and support fundraising for cooking with toddlers and for an intergenerational project involving our children cooking with older isolated people in the local community.



Ambition

Year Two have new ambitions having met the author Simon James.
See page 2 for further details!

Adventure

The Reception children have been working with partners to build the houses of the "Three Little Pigs". Evie was a persevering bear when she created a house made of straws!



Achievement

Look at us! Stars of the week!



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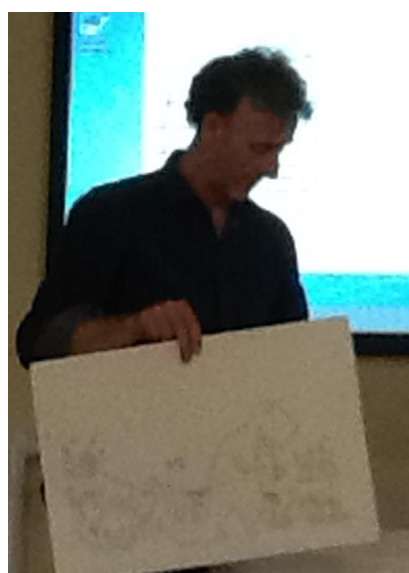
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Author Visit

Year Two had a wonderful time in their workshops with Simon James on Thursday. We are all feeling very inspired after seeing how Simon uses his ideas to create books and how he makes all the illustrations come to life. Year One also enjoyed a special assembly with the author. A huge thank you to CPTT for funding this visit.



Science Day

On February 1st, children in all year groups are to come into school in their uniform for a fun day of investigations. We are asking for a donation of 50p to contribute towards the resources used for the children's science activities. At 3pm, doors will open to parents of year 1 and 2 children to allow them to come and see what their children have been exploring, making and discovering throughout the day and to have an opportunity to buy tickets for our science raffle (£1). There will also be some science kits available to buy, with all money raised going towards new science equipment for the school.



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The OPAL project continues to deliver happy lunchtimes for our children at Ladysmith but we need your help! The following items (and similar) are required so that we can keep play interesting and so all the children can get involved:

- Old bodyboards, swimming noodles,
- Foam items such as pipe lagging or insulation, plastic pipes and guttering
- Old buggies and push chairs
- Large plastic tubs, crates and drums
- Buckets, jugs, pots and pans
- Planks and decking
- Tarpaulins

Any help much appreciated - there will be space in our foyer outside reception for your donations. Many thanks in advance.



Road Safety Issue

Please be aware that a child was very close to being seriously injured this week. A car reversed into Pretoria Road and actually collided with a nursery child on a tricycle. The trike is badly damaged and the family are understandably shaken. The safety of the children is our top priority and we will be taking action if we observe unsafe behaviour on the roads around the school.

RECYCLE YOUR CRISPS PACKETS!!

We can now help the environment, recycle AND earn rewards for school! Clean, flat crisp packets can be collected in our school foyer (just outside the office) and will earn £1 per kg collected. Any brand and any size is acceptable. Also, toothbrushes, toothbrush heads, boxes, tubes and lids - again any kind. Pop them in the box and when we have enough they'll be sent off for recycling. Thank you!



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Requests

In craft club, held on a Wednesday, we plan to make mosaics. For this, we are kindly asking for donations of old tiles. We will also be busy trying out French knitting, so donations of balls of wool would be gratefully received. Please could they be brought to the school office. Thank you.



Clothing

As a reminder, we ask that **all** childrens clothes are named. Also, we have had a couple of items in Reception that have gone home with the wrong child after PE. If you find an item of clothing which does not belong to your child, please return it to the class teacher.



Pop up Café

Our next café will be on Thursday 14th February. We are asking for delicious cake donations from years 1 and 2.



Dates for your diary

Please check the Ladysmith calendar following the link below:

<https://ladysmithfederation.eschools.co.uk/web/calendar/21>

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